

Mental Health, Substance Use and related outcomes George County 2011

This report provides a summary of current prevalence and trends in Mental Health, substance use and related outcomes for George County, Mississippi.

Socio economic and Demographic Estimates

Total population 2000: 19144 Total Population 2010: 22578 %Females: 49.4	Population % change: 17.9
Race/Ethnicity % White: 89.8 % Black/African American: 8.1 % Asian: 0.2 %American Indian: 0.3 % Native Hawaiian: 0 % Hispanic Origin : 2 % Population not English Proficient :2.5	Socio-Economic Indicators % Rural: 100 Median household Income: 43043 % Below poverty level: 16.2 % Children in Single parent hhds:19 % Children in Poverty : 24 % on Free Lunch: Unemployment Rate: 10 High School Graduation (AGFR): 50
Age Distribution Median Age: % <5 years age: 7.3 % <18 yrs age: 26.8 % Age >=65: 12.8 Veteran population (2005-2009): 1476	*County Health Rankings (2011) Health Factors: 47 Health outcomes: 58

Mental Health Indicators

Mean reported mentally unhealthy days per month: 4.5 % adults without emotional or social support:18	

Substance Abuse and Dependence

Adolescents Past 30 day use Adolescents (2010) Alcohol: 25.52 Tobacco: 21.2 Marijuana: 11 Prescription drugs: 7.28 Other Illicit drugs: 10.81	Rank highest Prevalence (1) to lowest (82) Alcohol Rank: 32 Tobacco Rank: 11 Marijuana Rank: 36 Prescriptions Rank: 16 Illicit Drugs Rank: 21	Adults % Adult Current Smokers: 27 % Excessive Drinking: 7 % Binge Drinkers: 7 % Past 30 day use of ATOD 12 or older:																																																
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Other Health Behaviors and Outcomes

% Adults reporting poor or fair health: 25
Mean physically unhealthy days/month: 4.9
Incidence rate of Liver Cancer(2004-2008) :
% Low birth weight: 10.1
Teen birth rate per 1000 female (15-19) : 97
HIV Rate: 63
Adult obesity: 35

**Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population

Crime

Homicides per 100,000 populations: 11
Total Juvenile Arrests:250

Mortality and Injury

Premature death**: 12715
2011 MVC death rate/100,000: 44
Suicide related deaths:

Health care

Mental Health Region:14
% Uninsured Adults: 29
Medicare Enrollees: 5265
Number of Mental Health Providers:0

Data Sources:

Census Bureau, 2010; MS Department of Mental Health Substance Abuse Treatment data;
Robert wood Johnson Foundation, 2011 County health ranking data
Mississippi Smarttrack Survey, 2010

Note: All rates are per 100000. Rates are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Standard Million Population.

Data accessed November 29, 2011. Based on data released February 8, 2011.

~ Counts are suppressed if fewer than 5 cases were reported in the specified category.

*** missing data or Counts < 15 (too few to calculate a stable age-adjusted rate)

The population estimates for 2005 are adjusted to account for population shifts due to Hurricane Katrina

